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## RESIGNED.

At the quarterly meeting of the trustees of the Atlington Five Cents Savings bank, held at the banking rooms last Friday, Henry Blasdale was duly elected treasurer, vice Joseph W. Whitaker resigned on account of advanced years. Mr. Blasdale was formerly cashier of the National Revere bank of Boston, having entered its service in 1859 the date of its organization. Holding at the outset the lowest position of all the employees, that of messenger, he by successive advancements reached the position of cashier, which office he held for more than twenty-five years, until the fall of '98, when the Revere bank, with several others, was forced into liquidation by the committee of associated savings banks. Mr. Blasdale enters upon his duties as treasurer not only with the highest commendations from the former directors of the Revere bank, but with the hearty endorsement and best wishes of his banking associates in Boston with whom he has been long and intimately acquainted.

## "A NIGHT OFF."

"A Night Off," given the Town hall on Tuesday evening on behalf of the Arlington Boat club, was a brilliant success from beginning to end. "Erastus Blimber, A. B., professor of ancient history in Clinton university," was the leading character in the play. It seems that Prof. Blimber in his younger days had written a play, which fact becoming known to the manager of the local theatre, he induced the professor, through many flattering words, to have his play put upon the stage in the academy of music in his place. It was arranged that the Blimber family should attend on the evening that the play was to be acted. But when the night arrived Mrs. Blimber finally planned that on the eventful evening the entire family should remain at home. But in some way Professor Blimber manages to escape, so that he attends the theatre. The play, however, proves a failure in consequence of that mischievous parrot, and he returns home, where he finds things all upset. However, everything at last comes out all right. The club acted the parts assigned in an admirable way, much to the enthusiastic pleasure of the audience. The music was excellent. The Arlington Boat club deserves many good words for the treat that it afforded Arlington.

## YEARLY POLICE REPORT

The annual report of the chief of our police force, Mr. Harriman, made to the Board of selectmen, makes interesting reading. The whole number of arrests made during the year was 188, as follows:

For drunkenness,	95
For liquor nuisances,	10
For larceny,	15
Disturbing the peace,	20
Other offences,	48
No. of lodgers at police headquarters during the year,	586
Of this number there were foreign born,	315
American born,	270
No. of defective electric lights found	1965
Lanterns hung in dark places along the highways,	127
No. of days' attendance of officers in 3d district court,	230
No. of persons paying fines,	91
No. committed for non-payment of fines,	46
No. placed on file,	25

During the year there has been one man added to the force—Fred E. Smith. During the year there has been a constant effort to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors, and with gratifying success. Ten persons have been brought into court on the complaint of liquor nuisance. Eight were fined, who paid. One was discharged, and one placed on file.

Chief Harriman recommends that an additional telephone box for the use of the officers be placed at the corner of Beacon and Park streets, also that a wagon be purchased for a patrol wagon and for general use. The chief closes his report by thanking the honorable board of selectmen for their uniform aid and courtesy, and the members of his force for the faithful performance of their duties.

The Arlington police force is kept constantly busy with its varied duties. Mr. Harriman, the chief, a man always pleasant and agreeable to meet, is at all times on the alert. There is little going on in Arlington day or night of which he does not keep himself informed. The members of his force are prompt in the execution of every duty of the department. Arlington may congratulate herself that she is so well watched and guarded.

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## GIVEN A TREAT.

It is characteristic of the ladies of Arlington that when they undertake anything, they do so in such a whole-hearted fashion as to be certainly worthy of emulation by the sterner sex, and a better example of this could hardly be given than the excellent musical and literary treat provided by the Arlington Woman's club in honor of their gentlemen friends in the Town hall on Thursday evening. We have repeatedly had occasion to refer to the many excellent gatherings held under the auspices of the club which we have been privileged to attend, and we do not hesitate to say that the entertainment of Thursday evening far out-shone all previous efforts in this direction. The hall was completely filled with the ladies and their guests, and the varied and attractive dresses of the former seated alongside of the gentlemen in evening dress was indeed picturesque. Quite a bevy of the members of the club acted as ushers, and all were courteously escorted to seats as they entered the hall. On the platform, behind a row of potted plants, was seated the Choral class. On open the programme of the evening, the president of the club briefly stated the objects of the organization, and introduced the Choral class, who during the evening rendered several selections in such a highly artistic manner that left nothing to be desired, and proved unquestionably that their director had them completely under the control of her baton. The principal part of the programme, however, was the rendition of two readings by Mrs. Irving Winslow of Boston, whose introduction to the audience was rapturously received. She gave "Nance Oldfield," and later on "A Kitchen Colonel," both of which were vociferously applauded. It would be superfluous on our part to criticize the efforts of Mrs. Winslow; suffice it that her wonderful powers of elocution completely electrified and captivated her audience, which she moved to laughter and tears at will. At the close of the programme refreshments were served. Again we repeat that a "Gentlemen's night" as given by the Arlington Woman's club is an event that will not soon be forgotten by those who were fortunate enough to be present.

## NEW OFFICERS.

The usual meeting of the W. R. Corps was held at Grand Army hall on Thursday afternoon, after which was held the installation of officers, which was public to invited guests. The installing officer was Mrs. Mary Gilman, past senior vice department president. The officers for the ensuing year are:

Mrs. Nellie M. Farmer, president.  
Mrs. Clara Kimball, senior vice-president.  
Mrs. Charlotte Rugg, junior vice-president.  
Mrs. Carrie Thayer, chaplain.  
Mrs. Mary L. Durgin, conductor.  
Mrs. Violet Durgin, asst. conductor.  
Mrs. Carrie Fowle, secretary.  
Mrs. Sarah Blanchard, treasurer.  
Mrs. Lydia Durgin, guard.  
Mrs. Jennie Barnes, assistant guard.  
Mrs. Nellie Marden, 1st flag officer.  
Mrs. Sarah Whitier, 2nd "  
Mrs. George Averill, 3rd "  
Miss Tyler, 4th "

The exercises of installation were all that could be desired. The ladies of the corps presented to President Farmer a very elegantly-carved and enamelled badge of her office, which was a complete surprise to her. Beautiful bouquets of fragrant flowers were presented to Mrs. Gilman, installing officer, and to Mrs. Farmer.

On Thursday evening occurred the installation of officers of J. Francis Gould Post of G. A. R. by installing officer Capt. John Cook. Retiring commander was Frank Marden. Present commander Charles Prentice. The exercises were very interesting. Speeches by comrades from other posts, and music spirited and patriotic by the post orchestra followed. Past Commander Pierce of Newtonville presented to Commander Marden retiring, as a token of esteem from the comrades of J. Francis Gould Post, a commander's badge of office, elaborately carved, which he received with heartfelt thanks. Previous to the installation of the post a banquet was served by corps and post with invited guests.

The installation of the newly-elected officers of Arlington council 109, Knights of Columbus, took place on Thursday evening last in the rooms of the council on Massachusetts avenue. The exercises, which were of a most interesting and impressive nature, were witnessed by a large number of the council members, also by many officers and members of out of town councils. The installing officer was District Deputy Supreme Knight Dennis F. Sheehan of Medford. He was assisted Lieut. Joseph Sheehan of the Boston council, Past Warden John Crockett of the Medford council and Past Warden Benjamin A. Craigen of St. John's council of East Cambridge. The officers installed

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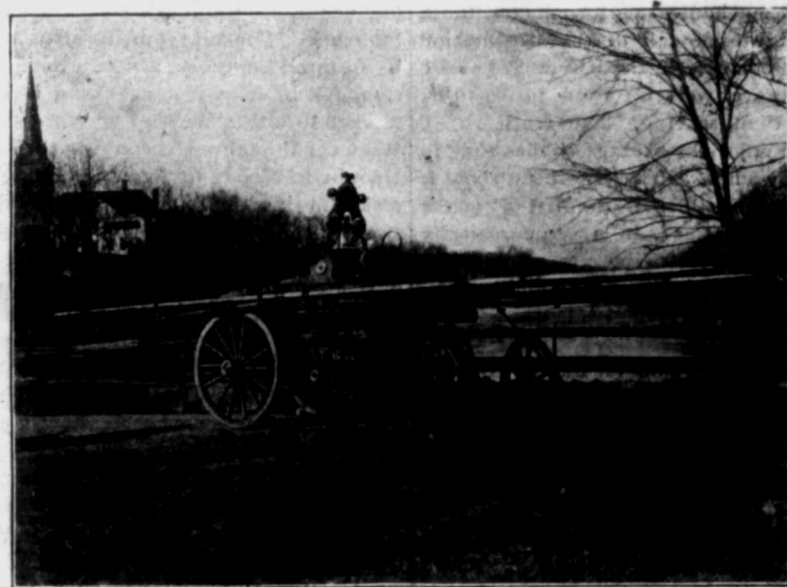
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It is a well known fact that when the A. V. F. A. make up their minds to do a thing they always carry it out to a grand and glorious ending. There could have been no better illustration of this than last evening when occurred the first grand ball of this association in Town hall.

The dance was an instantaneous success, and gave splendid encouragement for another ball next year. We doubt if the hall was ever more prettily decorated than on last evening. The main decorative material was red and white bunting with a handsome white chenille ball fringe. The most unique and striking decoration was in the center of the hall. Electrician R. W. LeBaron had arranged a large star in the center of the suspended streamers and dotted the same with miniature incandescent lights. Underneath this was the new Hopkins' play pipe with red incandescent lights at each end, and to this was attached a placard which read:

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The decorations back of the platform were handsome, there being a large fire scene in the centre, while above were the words:  
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On either side were emblems of fire apparatus, flags being draped on each side. At the top of each window a star was placed jetted with colored incandescent lights. Lace curtains were at the windows. The platform was profusely decorated with palms, ferns, etc., from the greenhouses of W. W. Rawson. The miniature Tiger No-3 hand engine was in the center of the platform, while old fire hats and fire buckets of ye ancient days were hung about the hall. "Eureka No. 1" was placed in front of the gallery.

The cake walk was participated in by Messrs. Joseph Law, George Baxter, M. Roach, Frank Burns, Miss Meagher, and was a novel feature at a dance.

The concert program was as follows:  
March. "Hands across the sea," Sousa  
Overture. Fanchon, Isenman  
Concert waltz. Campus dream, Blake  
Selection. Medley, Beyer  
Finale. Bunch of blackberries, Holzmann

At nine o'clock Prof. Wiggin pulled the cord and rang the bell that woke the inhabitants of the town on the midnight of August 24 and announced old Eureka had won a glorious victory and captured second prize. This announced the grand march, which was led by Mr. and Mrs. Timothy J. Donahue, some 70 couple participating.

The assistant floor directors were John S. Kenney, foreman; A. A. Tilden, 1st asst.; Melville Haskell, 2nd asst.

Aids. W. J. Sweeney, S. Mead, E. J. Crowe, J. Buckley, W. H. Irwin, J. R. Duffy, Andrew Irwin, Thomas Hodge, W. H. Bradley, George Lovell  
Committee of arrangements. Warren W. Peirce, chairman; E. W. Schwamb, secretary; George Hill, treasurer; T. J. Donahue, A. A. Tilden, J. L. Axtman, E. J. Crowe, Melville Haskell, S. C. Bertwell, J. S. Kenney.

Reception committee. George Hill, W. P. Schwamb, Thomas Hogan, J.

Schumacher, W. W. Rawson, Matthew Rowe, R. W. LeBaron, Theodore Schwamb, Charles Gott, W. H. Pierce, Frank P. Winn, S. C. Bertwell.

Supper committee. W. A. Peirce E. W. Schwamb, George Hill, S. C. Bertwell, W. J. Sweeney, E. J. Crowe.

The committee in charge of affairs should feel highly gratified at the results coming from their incessant and faithful work.

The guests of the evening were Messrs. George Holden of the Red Jack-ets, Somerville, Ex. Capt. M. H. McCafferty of the Charlestown veterans, Capt. E. K. Judd, and Fire Commissioner Hervey, Everett, J. C. Connors, T. B. Gregg, Waltham, D. K. Wheeler, Boston, James F. Cooper, So. Boston, Frank Moore, Watertown, James Quinlan, Charlestown, Selectman Walter Crosby, Town Clerk B. Delmont Locke, Postmaster A. D. Hoitt, Chief A. S. Harriman were present.

Among those in attendance were the following:

T J Donahue and wife  
Andrew Bain and wife  
John Connelly "  
John P Daniels "  
Fred Lowe "  
James Donahue "  
Andrew Doherty "  
Mr William Sweeney  
W A Peirce  
Joseph Law  
Edward Purcell  
W O Menchin  
Matthew Rowe  
Theodore Schwamb  
Thomas Hogan  
George W McClellan  
Charles A Hardy  
Andrew Irwin  
Frank M Mead  
William Burns  
Frank A Daniels  
W H Bradley  
Frank P Winn  
Charles Gott  
George Hill  
Edwin W Schwamb  
William A Nolan  
J Sullivan  
Thomas Kenney  
Charles Barry  
Robert Falls  
Patrick Quinn  
Thomas Welch  
Daniel Haley  
Henry Meehan  
Everett S Chapman and wife  
Miss Lena Holden  
Lila Holden  
Miss Cecilia Jennings  
Annie Kelley  
Mr Stephen Hicks  
Patrick Hennessy  
Joe Burns  
Daniel Cleary  
T Hurley  
Richard Kelley  
W W Rawson  
J Sifton  
William Isley  
Herbert Rowe  
Frank Rowe  
Miss Maud Donahue  
Edith Rowe  
Mrs William Austin  
Mr Howard Hawkins  
John H Hartwell  
Samuel C Bertwell  
Frank Russell  
William Irwin  
John Irwin  
Dr Keegan  
Daniel Daley  
Thomas Lynch  
Frank LeBaron  
Richard Buckley  
William Schwamb  
Dennis Ahern  
Miss Della Sullivan  
Mamie Kelley  
Lila Dinan

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**A GOSPEL SERVICE.**

That gospel service which is being held in the Baptist church every Sunday evening is drawing to itself men and women of almost every religious denomination. We were present last Sunday evening, and were interested in and attracted by the service at every point. The worship at these meetings is conducted in the spirit of an earnest devotion and simplicity. The choir and congregational singing of the old familiar hymns gets hold upon the audience in such a way that there comes a hearty response from every pew. We have never been able to understand why so many of our churches will persist in so much solo singing. While we are not a professional critic of music, yet we can readily appreciate that harmony and melody which reaches the heart and stirs the emotions. Most of the solo singing in our churches is hardly less than a mechanical performance without the slightest touch of that inspiration which comes from those hymns of praise that forever well up from hearts filled with thanksgiving. The truth is, we do not enjoy the average solo as sung in our churches. It has nothing about it or in it which begets a spirit of sincere worship. Indeed, in a large majority of instances, it is a bore to us, so much so that we underscore our amen when it is through, simply because it is through. The solo has become a sort of frill to our ornamental way of worshipping. But it nevertheless kills instead of making alive. "Let all the people sing" is the divine injunction. And this is just what they are doing at the Baptist church in these services of a Sunday evening. Why, without knowing a note of the musical scale, we caught ourselves at the Baptist church humming an undertone of praise as the choir and congregation were swelling that grand chorus of song. "Let all the people sing" say we.

While it is not our purpose to reproduce the Rev. Dr. Watson's sermon on the above occasion, we can do no less than repeat the scriptural text upon which he discoursed as a man to men and women who need the same help and encouragement that he himself must have. His text reads as follows: "Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended, but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." A brief synopsis of the sermon is found in another column. It is sufficient now to say that Dr. Watson drew his audience close to him in the earnest presentation of his subject, and we could but feel that the reverend doctor caught inspiration not only from his scriptural selection but from his large and attentive audience. At any rate, he delivered his message as one authorized. From the beginning to the end no one could have received so much as a hint concerning the religious denominational preferences of Dr. Watson from anything he said. His preaching at these services is the simple gospel, and this is what Arlington people need, as well as do others in localities more or less remote. We, the laymen, are tired to death of doctrinal sermons. The average man or woman are not so much interested whether sprinkling or immersion is or is not the scriptural baptism. It is not of essential importance that one should know of a certainty that the flood covered the whole earth, or that the world was created in six days, or that Jonah was in the belly of a great fish for three days and three nights. Let these things be as they may, what the human kind needs most today is a gospel that will give immediate relief. It cannot by any law, natural or divine, much concern Arlington whether this or that religious denomination is more nearly right in its creed. What we all need is a gospel of help, and it is upon this want that the Sunday evening service at the Baptist church is based.

**"FISHERMAN'S LUCK."**

If there is anyone aside from Caterer Hardy and Druggist Tilden (of course they have read the book) who has not read "Fisherman's Luck" by that charming writer, Henry Van Dyke, then we urge such an one to make straight for Robbins library and get the book to which we refer, and then read it from beginning to end. It is an enjoyable treat. Don't miss the chapter on "talkability." It was formerly said that for one to catch his string of fish, all talking must cease. Mr. Van Dyke, however, who well understands how to catch all kinds of fish from a trout up, says that one may successfully angle and talk all the while, and it is from this fact that he introduces his chapter on "talkability." Dr. Van Dyke says as does Montaigne, that "goodness, freedom, gaiety and friendship" as free prime factors into the conditions which produce talkability. It is under the

head of "freedom in communication" that we quote Dr. Van Dyke. Here is what he says: "A mania for absolutely correct pronunciation is fatal. The people who are afflicted with this ailment are as anxious about their utterances as dyspeptics are about their diet. They move through their sentences as delicately as Agog walked. Their little airs of nicety, their starched cadences and frilled phrases seem as if they had just been taken out of a literary band-box. If perchance you happen to misplace an accent you shall see their eyebrows curl up like an interrogation mark, and they will ask you what authority you have for that pronunciation? As if, for sooth, a man could not talk without a book license! As if he must have a permit from some dusty lexicon before he can take a good word into his mouth and speak it out like the people with whom he has lived!" "In talk it is not correctness of grammar nor elegance of enunciation that counts," "Any dialect is classic that has conveyed beautiful thoughts."

But read the book for yourself and especially this chapter of which we write. You know and so do we, otherwise sensible men and women who make fools of themselves in trilling their r's and sounding the final s. Such as the e give their entire attention to their pronunciation and enunciation, so much so that the thought of what they speak is lost. It is always in good taste to pay due deference to localisms in spoken language. Consult your locality, if it be an intelligent one, as to pronunciation, and in many instances give it preference to either Webster or Worcester. Whoever thought of correcting the late Dwight L. Moody in any slip he might make in his grammar! And yet he swayed thousands through his public informal speeches. We have come to have a good deal of respect even admiration for that man who has something to say and says it, though he makes the biggest sort of blunder in his grammar. It will be well to remember that neither Webster's nor Worcester's dictionary is an inspired volume. It is the full full corn in the ear that serves us and not the husks. Don't make an idiot of yourself by eternally harping upon the latest pronunciation of this or that word. "Reserve and precision are a great protection to overrated reputations, but they are death to talk."

**THE WORK THAT TELLS.**

The work that tells for all time is that work which has been infused by the individual life. It matters not in what department of labor we may be interested it will all come to naught if it be lacking heart, soul and mind. Every sentence of him who wields the pen should be made so alive with the intense pulsating life of the writer that each word would throb with heart-beats. A soulless paragraph means a soulless writer. To begot inspiration in another, one must first be inspired himself. To raise the dead one must first have arisen from the grave. We half do things because we are only half in earnest in what we attempt. Creation has only been partially effected in us, and this is why we fail in any creative work, whether it be of art or poetry or that of running a country newspaper. You can only reach your man as you have had holy hands laid upon you. To be in earnest is always a condition precedent of success. Whenever men and women do not respond to us we may be absolutely sure that we are putting forth nothing worthy of a response. The criticism which we often make, that the people all about us are slow-going and unappreciative, is a criticism that must finally come back to rest upon our own heads. The fault for the most part is to be found with us. Because we have been walking at a snail's pace we have concluded that all about us have been creeping leisurely along. Whether willingly or not, we are ourselves all the same, the unit of measurement of the outer world. We see only by reflected light. The only world of which we know is that which is just our size.

Now what do we mean by all this? Just this: that we are determined that the Arlington Enterprise shall continue a live newspaper by first being alive and up-to-date ourselves. We do not expect to be caught napping. We are bound to so breathe through our columns that he who reads may catch a bit of our own life that may be worth catching. In spite of the fact that it may seem boastful or presumptuous, still we swore with a righteous oath years ago that there should be a pronounced individuality backing our pen, whether that individuality be worth much or little. So we say again, subscribe for the Enterprise. All that we are and all that we hope to be you can have for one dollar a year. Subscribe for the Enterprise.

**THE REV. DR. MCGLYNN.**

The Rev. Dr. McGlynn, who died at Newburg, New York, on Sunday, was one of the most remarkable men of his time. A man of the most positive convictions concerning what he thought to be right, he stood forth with all the courage of a Paul. Loving as he did the Catholic church, he would not even for the Pope suppress his own individuality. Father McGlynn dared maintain that education was the business of the state, not of the church. He sympathized with the poor and needy everywhere. His whole heart went out towards Ireland. He was an ardent friend of the Land league. He believed

in home rule. The difference existing between the Roman Catholic church and Father McGlynn upon public questions caused him to be summoned to Rome, a summons, however, which he did not and would not favorably answer. His excommunication from the church soon followed. True to his convictions all the while, yet Father McGlynn was restored to his church and to the priesthood in 1893.

The Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn died having the respect and love of both the Roman Catholic church and the entire Protestant world. And so must it ever be with that man who is first true to himself. As much as Father McGlynn loved the Roman Catholic church, yet he recognized that he must answer for himself on all matters involving individual duty. The life he lived is a fit monument to his manly courage and to that religious zeal which drew him so closely to the hearts of the people. In his death, the Roman Catholic church has lost one of its most brilliant and distinguished men.

**THE VALUE OF "X."**

Some writer has said that the attempt to determine the value of X, the unknown quantity, is what gives to life its varied interest. It is monotonous in the extreme to be forever repeating that algebraic expression a plus b equals c. We all recognize at the start the truth of this equation, while we hasten on to find the value of X. It is the world to be discovered that lures on the astronomer. We are all reaching out, and rightly too, for that which we have not as yet secured. It is the unknown that gives keener zest to the lesson set us. One's journey upon the road becomes a thousand times more interesting when the traveller is not quite sure of the point at which he is to arrive. It is indeed the unknown that gives in every instance an enjoyable emphasis to life. It is this fact that brings in each day anew, for otherwise our todays would be as yesterdays, and the future the repetition of the past. Yes, every man, woman and child in Arlington has his or her life's equation to solve, and great care must be had to that mathematical law which regards the algebraic signs. The trouble with most of us is that we get on the minus side of the equation when we should have remained on the positive side. We too frequently arrive at a zero value because in the solution of our individual equation we have not given due attention to the numerals. The value of X can only be found as our work will prove itself. Its substituted value, if correct, will always answer the conditions of the equation.

Now there are those here in Arlington as elsewhere who are making a fatal mistake in their reckoning by getting over to the other side of the equation without changing the algebraic sign. They call minus plus and plus minus, so that they come out nowhere. That man who drives a sharp trade with his neighbor by misrepresenting the facts has put himself on the minus side, so that finally he is bound to reach a negative value. That business man who attempts to succeed through a lawless and wicked competition must necessarily come out a minus quantity. And so it goes throughout all the social, business and religious world. Whatever may be true in mathematics, X should always equal a positive quantity in life, and it will equal such a quantity when men and women shall be true to every obligation resting upon them. While as to quantify the value of X is unknown, there should never be a time when there is any doubt of its positive outcome. X should always equal plus, while its full value we are to determine; and this it is that gives to life its peculiar charm.

**"A LAW OF RELIGION."**

While "it is a law of religion that one shall provide for his family when he has one," this fact can afford no reason why the policy holder in any of our life insurance companies should help to pay a hundred thousand dollar salary to an insurance president or a fifteen or twenty thousand dollar salary to the medical examiner. When the insurance company tells you that these enormous salaries are paid from the profits of the money invested, don't believe a word of it. The policy holders largely pay these salaries. Life insurance is now made out on a wrong basis. The death rate is put excessively large, so the one insured is compelled to pay insurance money greatly in advance of the death list. These exorbitant salaries paid our insurance officials are their own severest criticisms upon themselves. Still there has no little good come from these hundred thousand dollar men in life insurance. We now refer to the many fraternal associations or organizations which have been formed, where one may be insured for a reasonable sum at a reasonable cost, and for this reason, that these fraternal organizations have no elaborate and expensive offices to fill, organizations that allow the profits to go to the policy holder. It is an outrage that any man should receive a hundred thousand dollars per year on becoming the chief executive of a life insurance company. Such a salary is a stupendous swindle upon the policy holder.

All political economy teaches that no one man can earn one-tenth of a million dollars a year through his executive abilities in business. While we are interested in no insurance company as a

policy holder, yet our advice would be to our young men that they insure where they shall receive the most for the money they invest as security for themselves and for their family. We believe in life insurance, and no young man in our estimation can afford to be without such insurance; but this is no reason why the working classes who labor for their daily bread should support from their hard-won earnings the would-be millionaire insurance president and medical examiner.

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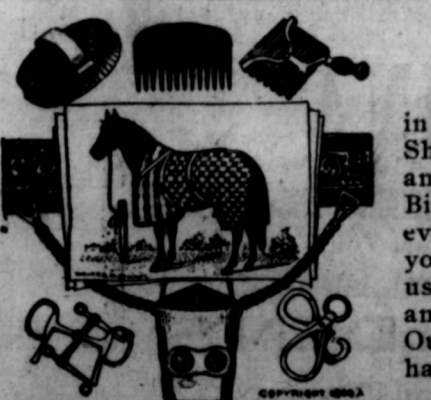
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## ARLINGTON NEWS.

Which are you working for, the Russell school or the High school?

The Greater American fair next week in Town hall, Wednesday and Thursday.

The teachers in the Russell school took a day off Friday to visit neighboring schools.

Get your supper next Wednesday and Thursday at the Universalist fair, served from 6 to 8.

The week of prayer has been observed in the Pleasant street Congregational church and in the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Bullard gave on Wednesday evening a dinner party to friends from Boston, Charlestown and Cambridge.

Two well-known local pool experts will play a match game for a handsome trophy at the billiard rooms of M. E. Callahan next Thursday evening. The contestants are to be John J. Dale and George Baxter.

Last evening the Building Fund association held its annual meeting in G. A. R. hall. Dinner was served and whist was played.

Mr. Franklin Russell has had a prominent part this present week in the theatrical performances of the Boston Clerks' association.

At the people's service tomorrow evening Dr. Watson will preach on "Religion of your own make." Come and welcome.

There is quite a contest on between the Russell and High schools in connection with the Universalist fair to see which will get the Paul Revere Relief.

The Loyal Temperance Legion meets every Monday afternoon at 3.45 in the Parish house, Maple street. A large number of boys and girls were present last Monday.

Rev. Dr. Thomas S. Barbour, of Boston, will preach in the Baptist church tomorrow morning. Dr. Barbour is one of the strongest and best men in the Baptist pulpit. All are welcome.

On Tuesday evening there will be a meeting at the hall of the A. V. F. A. to settle up for the ball tickets. All who have tickets must turn them in at this meeting.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with La Belle glove cleaner, for sale only by Fred Reed, post office building. Headquarters for high grade stationery, confectionery and newspapers.

Representative Crosby has been appointed upon the committee of ways and means. The position is one of the most important, and the appointment of Mr. Crosby upon that committee is a just recognition of his ability.

Thomas Donnelly of Brattle street died on Saturday morning. The funeral took place on Monday morning from St. Malachy's church. Rev. A. S. Malone celebrated high mass at ten o'clock. Interment was at Holyhood, Brookline.

A cake walk will be given at the Town hall on Wednesday evening in connection with the Universalist fair. Several of the well-known young people of the town will take part and contest for the prize. It will be interesting.

Another profound and practical school problem! "Let n equal any integral. Then 2n must equal an even number. What is the first even number 2n will equal, and what even number occurs before it?" But all this trash must be worked out before the pupil can graduate.

On Thursday evening, Jan. 4, a number of Arlington and Lexington friends tendered a surprise party to Mr. Howard D. Hawkins at his new home on Draper avenue, Arlington. The affair was an immense success, and to say that Mr. Hawkins was surprised is putting it but mildly.

The usual services at the Universalist church tomorrow. The young people at their evening service will consider the life of Whittier. A sketch of his life will be read, quotations will be made from his poems and his hymns will be sung. The service will be called "An evening with Whittier."

Morning service at St. John's church, Academy street, tomorrow at 10.30; evening service at 7.30. The rector, Rev. James Yeames, will preach at each service. In the evening the sixth in the series of lectures on the Lord's prayer will be given. Subject, "The father's forgiveness."

A rehearsal of the chorus which is to sing after the colonial supper next Thursday evening at the Congregational church, will be held this evening in the vestry at 7.30 o'clock. All those desiring to sing old-fashioned songs will be cordially welcomed. Please bring a "Father Kemp" book, if you have one.

Frederick M. Kirlin of 73 Mass. ave. died early on Saturday morning of consumption. The obsequies occurred on Monday, Division 23, A. O. H., attended the funeral in a body. High mass of requiem was celebrated at nine o'clock by Rev. A. J. Fitzgerald in St. Malachy's church. Interment was in Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

The Newton club bowlers pulled off two out of three games from the Arlington boat club aggregation on the boat club's alleys on Wednesday evening. Newton rolled in poor form in the first game, Arlington winning by 26 pins. In the second game Newton rolled up the fine total of 967 pins, leading Arlington by a margin of 142. The third game was also an easy thing for Newton. The summary:

NEWTON.				
Pray	165	211	195	571
Buntin	147	211	149	507
Scully	138	170	166	474
Maltby	200	188	179	567
Linder	148	187	181	516
Total	798	967	870	2635
ARLINGTON.				
Durgin	178	164	152	494
Marston	191	160	172	523
Wheeler	156	166	178	500
Dodge	130	161	142	433
Whittemore	169	174	180	523
Total	824	825	824	2473

How do you suppose the honest, industrious pupil feels after having done his or her best upon taking home for their parents' signatures a report reading "poor, unsatisfactory," and so on to the end of the list? These monthly school reports as now made out ought to be made by the state an offence punishable by law.

The new organ at the Pleasant street Congregational church is proving the excellent taste the committee evinced in its selection. It is so completely adapted for the audience room of the church that it blends with the voices of the choir so perfectly as to supplement and complement the singing of the choir and the congregation.

At the annual meeting of the Arlington National bank on Tuesday afternoon the following officers and directors were elected: E. Nelson Blake, president; Alfred D. Hoitt, vice-president; Edward S. Fessenden, clerk; Theodore Schwamb, Sylvester C. Frost, E. S. Spaulding, David Wyman, William D. Higgins and Henry Hornblower, directors.

The Willing Workers, one of the live organizations of the Universalist church, held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Fister, Grey street, last Wednesday afternoon. After listening to the yearly reports of various officers and committees, these officers were elected: President, Miss Amy Winn; vice president, Marion Brooks; secretary, Marion Smith; treasurer, Louise Twisden. A simple lunch was served.

At the Baptist Sunday school last Sunday, annual reports were rendered and induction of the re-elected officers took place. The reports showed the school to be in a most prosperous condition, both in the matter of attendance and benevolent contributions. In the latter respect many classes showed marked increase, and the total sums contributed to charities and missions exceeded former years.

On Wednesday morning at 2.30 o'clock Thomas Ganly was arrested at his home on Massachusetts avenue by Police Officers Irwin and Fred Smith, charged with stealing a die of stock and other property from one of the boiler houses on the W. H. Allen estate. The arrested man had been in the employ of Mr. Allen until a few weeks ago. In the Cambridge district court on Wednesday morning Ganly pleaded guilty.

Do not forget that colonial tea party in the Congregational church on Thursday evening of next week, Jan. 18. That old-fashioned singing school will render music that is music. There will be no screeching solos, but the old familiar songs will be sung in such a way as to bring out the "amen." The costumes will represent "ye olden time," and the supper will remind one of the kind mother used to have ready as he was let out from school. Fill the hall.

The Altar Guild connected with the Universalist church held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. F. S. Meade, Mass. avenue, last Monday afternoon. The following list of officers was elected for the coming year: President, Miss Harding; vice-president, Mrs. Frank Bott; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. C. F. Coolidge. It is the purpose of this organization to supply flowers for the altar of the church and the sick of the parish.

Although diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles will always cause anxiety among parents, still there is no occasion for any undue anxiety, as the Board of Health and School Supt. Sutcliffe, together with the School board, are taking every precaution that the public health shall be kept intact so far as this is possible. With care taken of the children by the parents, with the care that our officials are giving the matter, it may be hoped there will be no further spread of the above diseases.

We were off on Thursday afternoon helping to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of a ladies' sewing circle up in New Hampshire. And this reminds us of a sewing circle, not far remote, which at its last meeting discussed as a topic of conversation, Aguinaldo. One of the members being asked how the sewing circle came to discuss Aguinaldo, replied, "Why, don't you know he has been hummed in and his temper has been ruffled?" It is difficult to get ahead of the wit of a bright woman.

It isn't just or reasonable that the Sundays of the post office employees should be so marred and disturbed simply to accommodate the fifteen or twenty out of the thirty or forty who call at the office on their way to and from church. We'll venture if the authorities at Washington knew the above facts they would order the office closed on a Sunday even without a request from our people. The clergymen of Arlington stand as a unit upon this matter, and were the first to suggest this no mail on Sunday. We heartily respond in the affirmative to this suggestion.

Again this week we write the death of another child of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Hendrick. Last week it was Walter, this week it is May, the eldest daughter, a bright and interesting child of eleven years. May was taken sick soon after her brother's death, and it was found she had diphtheria. Monday morning she appeared better, but a sudden turn in this dreaded disease culminated in her death shortly after one o'clock of that day. It was indeed hard to lose

their son, but it is now doubly so by the loss of the daughter. Truly the father and mother have more than they can bear, and they have untold sympathy from all who know them. The younger daughter is rapidly getting better, and no doubt the disease is checked.

Sixty-eight names have been enrolled in the Arlington Young Men's club, and eight new members were elected on Tuesday evening. After the despatch of business, Rev. Jas. Yeames gave an address on parliamentary practice. The club has received the gift of two tables and six chairs through Mr. W. D. Elwell. Next Tuesday will be a musical evening. A programme is in preparation, with numbers by Mr. W. Sears and Mr. F. Grey (piano), Mr. Julius Hackel (violin), Mr. Cooke (graphophone), Mr. Heward Bennett (mandolin), etc.

The Universalist fair will come off next week in the Town hall Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings. Everything now points to a most successful affair. The members of the society are working hard and great interest has been manifested. It will certainly be a novel fair, the first of its kind so far as known held in the country. It is to be called the Greater American fair, and will represent the United States and her accumulating provinces. The decorations will be the flags of the country. The booths will represent different sections of the country, "A New England country store," "the west," "the south," while the flower booth will represent Porto Rico, the ice cream room Alaska, and candy may be purchased of Cuban maidens. There will be an entertainment each evening, and supper will be served each evening from 6 to 8 o'clock.

The question now before this immediate people is whether or not there is any sufficient reason why the Arlington post office should longer be kept open for an hour on Sunday? We have taken some little care in ascertaining facts concerning the number of our people who are accommodated by the present arrangement, and we find the following to be true, namely: that not more than thirty or forty out of our population of 8000 or more inhabitants ever call at the office for mail on a Sunday morning, and it is safe to say that one-half of this small number go away from the office empty-handed. So far as we can learn, there is no demand on the part of our business men for a Sunday mail, so that we readily agree with the proposed closing on a Sunday of our post office. Postmaster Hoitt and his assistants are willing to continue the Sunday opening as they have done for the past five years if the people so desire, and we may add that the agitation of this question of closing the office comes in no way from them.

There was a very pleasant reception and presentation at the home of Mr. E. Nelson Blake on Monday evening. He had invited his Sunday school bible class to meet him socially just prior to his departure to Florida for a winter sojourn. About thirty-five of the class were present, and there were an interesting entertainment of recitations, solos and duets, which was very well received by the company. Just at the close, and before refreshments were served, Mr. Wood, a member of the class, arose, and addressing suitable words of grateful appreciation to Mr. Blake as a teacher, presented him with a very finely-framed picture of "Jesus among the doctors," by Hoffman. Also Chas. Dudley Warner's "In the Levant," handsomely bound and illustrated, in two volumes. The present was evidently a surprise, and a pleasant one, and the teacher responded with words of acknowledgement and affection. Mr. Blake has taught this class of adults with great faithfulness for nearly nine years, and spares no hard study or painstaking devotion to make the lessons profitable, and the social relation of the members cordial and pleasant.

On Wednesday we made a call on a family where the daughter, a girl fifteen years old, was in a nervous state of mind over one of her school examples, which reads as follows: "Monday A has Y dollars. Every night, including Monday night, he gives his wife two dollars, and each day for the next four days he doubles what he has left; how much will he have on Saturday morning?" The only sensible thing we could see about the example was that A was undoubtedly a kind and considerate husband in the treatment of his wife. Well, we went to work, attempting to help the poor girl. After a long while and much study, we ciphered out what we believe to be the correct solution. Still we shall not be sure of this until the teacher has made out a report of our work. We have handed the above example to a distinguished college graduate of Arlington, and he is still working for dear life on the riddle. What nonsense to waste the time of our school children over such stuff! When it shall be understood that the arithmetic and algebra are not studies in the line of riddles and conundrums the better will it be for the schools. There is no more practical sense in the example given than there is the conundrum reading "why is a thunder shower like a dog's tail?" Answer: "Because it is bound to occur." The children should be taught what will serve them in the practical work of life.

At the people's service on Sunday evening, Dr. Watson preached to a large congregation on the "Outlook and Up-look into the New Year." The text was "Reaching forth unto the things that are before," from Paul's letter to the Philippians. The preacher said that there are two men who cannot influence us much. The man who is no good, and the man who is too good. At first Paul seems to belong to the latter class. When you halt after hearing his record as a Pharisee, and after knowing his spiritual altitude you say, "that man is not of my clay. He is so far beyond me that he has nothing for me. There is a chasm between us that I cannot bridge." But does he bridge it? Let us see. Certainly his lot as an apostle was undesirable and hard. He was a lonely and a homeless man. He was always pouring his earnest soul into other souls, and just when the welcome stream of love began to flow back again, he must hasten on to win new trophies. God kept him on the move. He was only sure of two things: to have his hunger for affection denied, and to suffer tribulation. He was prematurely old and worn with abundant labors and trials, his body bent over by many stripes and scourings. But it is only as he calls us "brethren" that the chasm closes. But it is closed entirely when he says: "I count not myself to have apprehended"—this is a confession of imperfection. The man who makes that confession with unaffected sincerity is my brother. He has something to say to me. We are close together. But can we keep together? He has a way of suffering and soaring that seems impossible to me. He seems over-loaded with affliction, yet his spirit spreads its wings and up in a realm of contentment, hope and triumph flies like a bird. Can I do that? He says I can. "Brethren, be ye as I am, for I am as ye are." "By the grace of God I am what I am." So in him and in us the sense of imperfection compels the singleness of aim—"this one thing I do." Earnest men in earnest moods and earnest matters use few words, and have a way of fusing all things into the one glowing purpose. The one great duty emerges out of all fog-banks of complexity and confusion and becomes wonderfully simple. The plea of complexity about conscience and duty is generally the dodge of the man who is false to the one and unwilling to do the other. Such a man thinks it a god-send when ministers and theologians find so many "differences of interpretation." They supply him with fig-leaves to cover his shame. But is no use. All really great things are simple. Conscience is, and uncomfortably personal as well. It gets you on the hip, and says "thou art the man!" Christ is simple. However much men seem to ball him up with hair-splitting and words, he remains the strong desire of all nations, because he is bread and they are hungry. Repentance is simple. Nothing so simplifies the way of God, for it simply puts away everything that prevents us from getting into that way. Hence Paul insists upon forgetfulness of the past. "Forgetting the things that are behind." If the memory of the past only causes the eyes to brim with hot tears of remorse, and the teeth to set together under the quivering lips, then we know that the best of the past is ours, that is, its lesson. And that is for the future. To remember the failure and lose the lesson breeds despair, and despair is an indulgence. Usually the man indulges it who can least afford it. He failed for want of power with himself, and despair simply insists that such power is now impossible. "Leave thy low-vaulted past." There's a new year, like a new country opening up. It is all untraversed, unspoiled, unexhausted. Faith must be the conqueror of that. I concede that we must have help here. God and men must help us. Godly men can help us most. They can help us forget our sins and mistakes by forgetting them also. Paul did not expect carnal men to help much, so he said, "If any man be overtaken in a fault, ye that are spiritual restore such an one in the spirit of meekness, considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted." The who, the what, the how, and the why are all there. Don't talk to a man who is down as if you were pretty good and he were very bad. Don't get up high, and talk down low to him. Call him "brother," and say "it might have been myself." For it not only might, but it may be you yet. You are not thorough. Men are falling later now than formerly. Vitality is exhausted faster and the spirit tires. Men are not now so long in the race. The business athlete is on their track. He is young, flexible, fleet-footed, keen-witted, a regular sprinter. You can feel his hot breath in the strain of the competition. You must keep up or go down, and stay down. The temptation to stimulate, to reach after a foul advantage, to feel for some forbidden crutch in exhausted moments, is overwhelming. Anyhow you are not through yet. Better be a brother. Get out, help out, of the dead year, the irreparable past, into the living year, the available future. And the best way is Paul's way: to reach forth unto the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus. It is God's trumpet call to the fainting or aspiring soul. There is but one great reality, one golden center, one alluring glory—that is the Lord Jesus Christ. He is not to be patronized, or admiringly scrutinized from a distance; he is to be realized so fully that he becomes your pattern of righteousness. The one character after all that is worthy of struggle is his character, and by the grace of God that is attainable unto every man of you that reaches for it.

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Lake Street—5.38, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.03, 8.29, 9.03, 10.15, 11.26, A. M. 12.25, 1.08, 2.25, 4.01, 4.36, 4.50, 5.20, 5.49, 6.23, 6.59, 7.18, 8.25, 9.25, 10.25, P. M. Sundays, 9.33, A. M. 1.05, 2.31, 3.20, 4.43, 6.24, 8.34, P. M.  
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**ARLINGTON HEIGHTS.**

The red card, indicating scarlet fever, outside the house of Mr. Manly on Hillside avenue.

Friday evening prayer meeting of the Baptist church was held in the chapel, Mr. B. F. Cann leader.

The services tomorrow at the Baptist church are: Preaching at 10.45, Sunday school at 12 and evening service at 7.

The Rev. Mr. Taylor of Cambridge, formerly of Melrose, will preach in the Park avenue church tomorrow and the Sunday following.

A business meeting of the Young People's auxiliary connected with the Baptist church met at Mrs. Fraser's, Lowell place, on Tuesday evening.

A business meeting of the Women's Benevolent society of the Baptist church was held at Mrs. Jones', cor. Westmoreland and Westminster avenues, on Monday evening.

Mrs. L. earned of Claremont avenue had a severe fall last Tuesday and fractured her left wrist. The town should pay more attention to the icy condition of our streets.

Mrs. Alexander Beaton of Hibbard street is still a patient in Mass. General hospital. She is rallying, though but slowly, from the severe relapse in her sickness of typhoid fever.

Sunday was Rev. Dr. Stenbridge's final official service in Park avenue Congregational church. He welcomed eight new members at the communion service in the morning.

Mrs. Henry Finlay returned to her home on Mass. avenue last Wednesday, after passing through a successful operation in Longwood hospital. Her many friends rejoice in the hope of ultimate recovery.

A call on Wednesday afternoon on Mrs. Jernegan, at 117 Appleton street, found the Sunshine club at its pleasant game of whist. If we remember, there were four tables, where all seemed to be holding the leading cards. At any rate all were enjoying themselves. The Sunshine club is rightly named.

Mr. A. W. Lorimer, pastor of the Arlington Heights Baptist church, has returned to his studies at Newton Theological institution, after a vacation of two weeks, the greater part of which time he has spent among his people, where his presence is ever welcome. They are looking forward with pleasure to the time, not very far distant, when he will make his home among them.

The Sunshine club was very handsomely entertained by the president of the club, Mrs. Jernegan, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Schenck, Appleton street, on Wednesday afternoon. There were six tables of whist. Refreshments were served after the game. The first prize was won by Mrs. Dupee of Arlington and the second by Mrs. W. O. Partridge. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alexander Livingston, Cliff street, on Wednesday of next week.

A special song service has been arranged for the evening service of the Baptist church tomorrow at 7 o'clock. The story of each of several hymns will be given, after which the hymns will be sung in the light of their history. The following will be the order of service:

Organ voluntary  
Invocation  
Responsive reading  
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow  
Rock of ages,  
Oh, thou my soul forget not more,  
All hail the power of Jesus' name,  
Awake, my soul, in joyful lays,  
I'm but a stranger here,  
Lead, kindly light,  
He leadeth me,  
Jesus, I my cross have taken,  
Must I go, and empty handed?  
Just as I am, without one plea,  
Blest be the tie that binds,  
Benediction

The Park avenue Congregational church held its annual business meeting on Tuesday evening. A good supper had been prepared by the ladies of the church, which was served from 6.30 till 8 o'clock. Then followed the business meeting. Mr. Goodwillie was chosen moderator, and Edward Nicoll clerk. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Moderator, Jesse Holmes; clerk, Edward Nicoll; re-elected; treasurer, C. T. Parson; collector, Herbert Snow; deacon for two years, George Perkins; standing committee, Mrs. Hall and Mr. Wallace; music committee, J. K. Mann and Geo. H. Averill. The reports of the treasurer and secretary were read and approved. Adjourned.

Last Sunday the Christmas concert was given at the Baptist chapel. It was deferred until that date on account of the dedication and other opening exercises of the chapel. The superintendent, Mr. John White of Arlington, was unable to be present on account of sickness in the family. Mr. Finlay, the assistant superintendent, was ill and not able to be present, but their place was very acceptably filled by Mr. B. F. Cann. There were many pleasing recitations by members of the school and the singing of the choir was excellent, showing that there is talent of no ordinary character within the school. Mention must be particularly made of the recitation by Miss Gertie Finlay in regard to the Star of Bethlehem, and the beautiful effect produced by the darkening of the chapel and the bursting forth of the electric star, which illumined so strikingly the surroundings. The pastor gave some very apt and pleasing remarks, and the exercises closed by the benediction being pronounced by Rev. Mr. Whitman of Newton, who preached in the chapel in the morning.

The first meeting of the season of the Highland Duplicate Whist club was held on Thursday evening at Mrs. Alexander Livingston's, on Cliff street. Although the night was a disagreeable

one, the attendance was large, seven tables filling the spacious rooms of the delightfully-located house. Fourteen hands were played. Mr. Partridge acted as director and score-taker of the game and is to be complimented on his executive ability in this role. At ten o'clock play was stopped and the scores collected, and the names of the prize-winners announced. To Mrs. Torrey and Mr. Partridge fell the honor of carrying off the first prizes, Mrs. Torrey receiving a dainty Dresden china tea-strainer and Mr. Partridge a case of silver nut-crackers and nut-picks. For the lucky one who came in for the second prize, a handsome plate and a pretty cup and saucer were provided, these going to Mrs. Baxter and Miss Hascall. The booby prize, which, by reason of its beauty, seemed to place a premium on poor playing, was won by Mr. Lloyd, and was artistic wrought-iron candlesticks, complete with the candles. After the prizes had been awarded, the guests were invited to the diningroom, where a most delicious supper awaited them, the menu testifying to the excellence of Mrs. Livingston's cuisine. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Bryam, Mr. and Mrs. Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. Bull, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. E. White, Mr. and Mrs. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Mrs. White and Mr. Henry White, Miss Hascall and Mrs. Torrey, and Mr. and Mrs. Jernegan.

It is with no little regret that we are to lose the pleasant and instructive companionship of the Rev. Dr. Stenbridge, who has but recently severed his connection with the Park avenue Congregational church. Dr. Stenbridge is a man of cultured ability, and it is the uniform testimony of his parishioners that in his pulpit ministrations he ranks among the first. During our connection with the Enterprise, he has been a more or less frequent caller at this office, so that we had come to know him well. We shall miss his words of encouragement in our editorial work.

**ARLINGTON NEWS.**

Concerning free Sunday evening services in Arlington, it ought to be said that for many years the First Parish (Unitarian) church has held occasional evening services during the winter months, providing sometimes music of a high order and sometimes interesting series of addresses, for the services, and invariably making all seats free. This season these services are being held monthly.

To the Editor:  
During the past week considerable alarm has prevailed among parents and others because of the fear that diphtheria was raging among the children of the town. On inquiry I find that only one case has been officially reported, and the alarm referred to has been wholly needless. Several times I have visited the case mentioned, and on one of these visits it occurred to me that its origin might possibly be traced to the well-known "piggery nuisances" in the easterly section of the town. The wind was blowing from the south-east, and the odor from that quarter was magnificently intolerable. Instead of creating unnecessary alarm by suggesting the closing of the schools, may I ask why the Board of Health tolerate the existence of nuisances that are calculated to originate disease, or why the citizens permit the board to tolerate the continuance of such nuisances?  
Yours respectfully,  
JOHN M. MULCHAY,  
24 Medford street.

January 14, second Sunday after Epiphany.

The regular meeting of the Rebekah lodge occurs on Monday evening.

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**Peculiarities of Quail.**  
There are many odd and interesting things to be said of the quail, which is known throughout a large scope of the country as the partridge. One is that it has the power when badly frightened of withholding its scent. A covey, quickly flushed, will scatter and lie so close the best dog in the world will overrun them, making no sign of point until the bird flutters up right underfoot. Another is that it has the faculty of simulating death, if taken winged in hand, and of coming quickly to life the minute the grasp is relaxed in the neighborhood of good cover. Further, the birds have a sort of barometric sense.

A woodsman marking the direction in which quail feed can almost certainly foretell the day's weather. If they choose stubble or cornfields, it will be mild and moist; if they go to the open woods, he looks for wind and sun; if they scurry for thickets of briar and sedge, then he knows bitter cold is imminent. Unless forced to migrate by lack of food a covey always sleeps within 100 yards of the nest it was hatched in, and this although it may have fed all day several miles away. The sleeping is done in a huddled ring, tails in, heads out, all around and so closely bunched that a good sized napkin will cover it. Instinct possibly lies back of the ring making. Thus the shy creatures hope to escape surprise from creeping vermin, minks, weasels, foxes, which steal upon them in the night.

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were:  
John J. Robinson, grand knight.  
John J. Lane, deputy grand knight.  
William J. Gearin, chancellor.  
David T. Dale, warden.  
Peter F. O'Neill, treasurer.  
James J. Mahoney, financial aecy.  
John A. Bishop, recording secy.  
Garrett Cody, advocate.  
Eugene M. Creedon, lecturer.  
Daniel W. O'Brien, inside guard.  
Daniel Lyoes, outside guard.  
Rev. John M. Mulcahy, chaplain.  
John J. Lane, David T. Dale, Thomas H. Carens, James E. Tracey and Thomas P. McCarthy, trustees.

After the formal exercises a supper was served. A social hour followed, and brief addresses were made by District Deputy Sheehan, Rev. J. M. Mulcahy, Deputy Grand Knight John J. Lane, Past Grand Knight Thomas J. Robinson and others. An excellent entertainment programme was also contributed by members of the Arlington council and visiting brothers.

Veritas lodge installed its officers on Monday evening in Grand Army hall. Rt. Deputy Sister Holmes of Hyde Park and Rt. Worthy Conductor Sister Mitchell of Boston conducted the installation services. The officers are the following:

W. N. L., Miss Louisa Record.  
Past Lady, Mrs. G. H. Thayer.  
Vice-Lady, Sister Fish.  
Chaplain, Sister Ericsson.  
Secretary, Sister Ludwig.  
Rec. sec., Sister Ham.  
Treasurer, Sister Frizell.  
Reporter, Sister Ward.  
Guard, Sister Colburn.  
Rt. W., Sister Boyd.  
Lt. W., Sister Blakeslie.  
Conductor, Sister Preble.  
Rt. assist., Sister Nellie M. Farmer.  
Lt. assist., Sister Willard.  
Sr. rept., Sister Ober.  
Jr. rept., Sister Stearns.  
Trustees, Mrs. Nellie M. Farmer, Mrs. Fleming and Mrs. Ober.

A collation was served. Mrs. George H. Thayer, the retiring president, received a beautifully arranged bouquet.

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Florence Carney  
Mr Charles Burns  
Denis Riley  
Harry Hobbs  
Ernest Rosenberg  
Jack Tierney  
George Hill  
Michael Collins  
William Hunton  
Edward Mead  
David Breen  
Jack Breen  
James Munroe  
George White  
Lewis Brine  
Jacob Schumacher  
Miss Ida Schumacher  
Theresa O'Neil  
Mamie Donahue  
Mamie Corrigan  
Mr William Irwin  
Denis Reardon  
J F Welch  
N J Luddy  
Henry Wilson  
Charles Wilson  
William Davis  
Daniel Davis  
Daniel Lyons  
George Joyce  
James Munyon  
John Scanlan  
Miss Maggie Lynch  
Lizzie Houlihan  
Mr Ernest Collins  
Fred Ross  
John Tobin  
Miss Delia McDonald  
Flora McDonald  
May Smith  
Lizzie Roach  
Nellie Ahern  
Mr James Higgins  
Robert Bitzer  
P. Gallant  
Miss Mamie Murphy  
Mamie Ahern  
Mr R W LeBaron  
Miss Nellie Colbert  
Miss Edith Rowe  
Nellie Nolan  
Miss Carrie Fisher  
Emma Fisher  
Maggie Cavanagh  
Maggie Campbell  
Elsie Hurstin  
May Hurstin

**Not Entitled to a Pass.**  
"I believe the man who was more afraid of advertising something for nothing than any newspaper man I have ever seen," said a Chicago newspaper man, "was John Knapp of the old St. Louis Republican. He hated to print a doctor's or lawyer's name for fear he would give a free puff. "One time there was mention made in the paper of a man having died of Bright's disease of the kidneys. Old man Knapp hunted up the copy reader. "What do you mean," he said, "by running in the name Bright in our columns? He is not an advertiser in our paper and is not entitled to a notice unless he pays for it."—Denver Post.

**Heartless Critic.**  
Playwright—I suppose you saw the premier performance of my comedy last night?  
First Nighter—Yes; I was there.  
Playwright—How did you like the climax of the first act?  
First Nighter—Really, I didn't see that.  
Playwright—Too bad! Got there too late, eh?  
First Nighter—No; went away too soon.—Catholic Standard and Times.

**Not Nicotine, but Pyridines.**  
It is doubtful whether any nicotine ever reaches the mouth of the smoker except that present in the moistened tobacco which is in contact with the lips. The smoke products of tobacco do not contain any important quantity of nicotine, the chief toxic bodies being related to that interesting series of organic bases known to chemists as pyridines.—Lancet.

**Fear in High Places.**  
A famous steeple climber was asked if he ever felt fear in his business. "Of course I feel fear at times," he answered. "Fear is common to all mankind. Not to feel fear is not courage. To overcome fear is the true quality of courage. I divide the nerve force of a man into two parts—the impelling force and the restraining force—the same impelling force that causes a body of recruits at first to run under fire and the restraining force that causes them to overcome for various reasons the first natural fear. So, in climbing, one unused to it is by the natural impelling force of his nervous system afraid, afraid that his legs, his arms, his support, will give way and plunge him down. Shakespeare, who touched on all human emotions, touched on this feeling of fear in high places when in 'King Lear' he pictured Edward at the cliffs of Dover.

"The one way to get over the natural fear is by some restraining force from either within or without. I remember once when a new boy at sea was ordered aloft by the mate he trembled with fear and begged to be let out of it. 'Upon my soul, sir, I can't go up there.' This was his first impelling impulse. But when the mate touched him up with a rope's end he was at the top of the mast so quick that the mate could not follow him. The pain on his outer nerves brought him to his senses and made him exert his restraining force. So if you happen to be with any one who shows signs of fear in a high place a few smart slaps on the face will bring him to himself. The right medicine for unconquerable fear in a high place is immediate pain on the outside nerves."—Boston Transcript.

**An Iron Czar.**  
In the "Memoirs of a Revolutionist," by Prince Kropotkin, the author says that Alexander II himself, for all he was willing to emancipate the serfs, was a man capable of singular harshness and even brutality. When Kropotkin was promoted and was called with other officers to the side of the czar, the latter congratulated them quietly, speaking about military duty and loyalty. "But if any of you," he went on, distinctly shouting out every word, his face suddenly contorted with anger—"but if any of you—which God preserve you from—should under any circumstances prove disloyal to the czar, the throne and the fatherland, take heed of what I say, he will be treated with all the severity of the laws, without the slightest consideration."

"His voice failed," says the author. "His face was peevish, full of that rage which I saw in my childhood on the faces of landlords when they threatened to skin their serfs 'under the rods.' He violently spurred his horse and rode out of our circle. Next morning, the 14th of June, by his orders, three officers were shot at Modlin, in Poland, and one soldier, Szur by name, was killed under the rods."

**Swept Away by Plagues.**  
Italy once had a plague that killed 10,000 persons daily. Five hundred a day died in Rome. In one year 200,000 citizens of Constantinople died. The epidemic of 1347-9 was the worst ever visited on man. In Asia 23,000,000 perished by it and in Europe 25,000,000. In London 200 persons were buried daily in the Charterhouse yards. It was called "black death." The plague in England in 1471 destroyed more people than the continual wars for the 15 preceding years.

"Sweating sickness," prevailing in England for three years, killed half the population of all the capital towns and depopulated Oxford. It was mortal in three hours. The great plague of London in 1664 carried off 100,000 people. A transport with soldiers on board, from Sardinia to Naples, brought a plague that destroyed 400,000. An epidemic started in Marseilles by a ship from the Levant killed over 60,000.

**Clever Advertisers.**  
A clever advertising scheme was employed by a firm in a southern city. The junior partner of the firm swore out a warrant for the arrest of the senior partner on the ground that he was selling goods below cost and that the firm was constantly losing money thereby.

The case came up in court, and the counsel for the senior partner asked for a postponement in order to have more time to prepare his case. The judge granted the request, bail was fixed and the senior member released. As he left the courtroom the junior partner arose and exclaimed, "If he is released, the sacrifice will go on!"

The news soon spread, and the firm did a better business.

When the case was again called, no plaintiff appeared, and the charge was dismissed. The firm had succeeded in their object—advertisement.

**He Fired.**  
During the siege of Pueblo by Santa Anna, Captain Kendrick of the artillery, later professor at West Point, was in command at Fort Loreto, overlooking the city, when Colonel Childs, the commander of the American forces stationed in that vicinity and who was an ex-able man, rode at a mad gallop into the fort and cried: "Fire at once! The crisis is coming!" The battery opened fire, and amid the smoke and roar of the cannon an officer, seeing no enemy, asked Kendrick what he was firing at. He calmly replied, "At the crisis."

**His Paper's Motto.**  
"I've got a good motto for my new paper."  
"What is it?"  
"What we have we hold."  
"Oh, I see; referring to the circulation. That's good. But by the way, I didn't know you were a publisher."  
"I'm not. This is a patent fly paper."  
—Philadelphia Press.